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Recent Crime Summary

November 20, 2020

Note: additional incidents may have occurred, and the reports have not yet been received

Notable arrests for crime trends will be provided via a press release

Thefts From Vehicles Summary: 11/08/20 to 11/14/20

MCP urges all residents to take a role in preventing this type of crime by removing valuables from vehicles and locking all doors.

1st District

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

2nd District

D2 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 5100 block of Wessling Lane between approximately 12:00 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. on 11/10. No force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

E1 Beat:

 Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred between 11/08 and 11/10. Affected streets included Berkley Street, Jamestown Road, Bayard Boulevard, Newport Avenue, and Walhonding Road. Force was reported in two events; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

E3 Beat:

Two thefts from vehicles occurred between 11/10 and 11/13. One theft occurred in the 7700 block
of Tuckerman Lane and one theft occurred in the 10200 block of Arizona Circle. Force was reported
in one event; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

E4 Beat:

• Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred in the 10800-10900 blocks of MacArthur Boulevard between 11/08 and 11/14. Force; money and property were taken.

3rd District

G1 Beat:

Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred between 11/09 and 11/14. Affected streets included the
area of Wayne Avenue and Sligo Creek Parkway, the area of East West Highway and Colesville
Road, Blair Mill Road, Thayer Avenue, and Georgia Avenue. Force was reported in multiple events;
money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

G2 Beat:

Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred between 11/07 and 11/14. Affected streets included the
area of Sligo Creek Parkway and Colesville Road, Warren Street, Burton Street, Hastings Drive, St.
Andrews Way, Manchester Road, Manchester Place, Schuyler Road, Georgia Avenue, and
Woodland Drive. Force was reported in four events; money, property, and vehicle parts were taken.

Description of suspects seen at the Warren Street theft:

Victim/Witness described suspects as: B/M, age unknown B/F, age unknown

H1 Beat:

 Two thefts from vehicles occurred between 11/08 and 11/10. One theft occurred in the area of Walden Road and Plymouth Street and one theft occurred in the 8500 block of Garland Avenue. No force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

H2 Beat:

• Multiple **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 11/10 and 11/14. Affected streets included Columbia Pike, Colesville Road, and New Hampshire Avenue. Force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

I1 Beat:

Three thefts from vehicles occurred between 11/12 and 11/14. Affected streets included
Featherwood Street, New Hampshire Avenue, and Sweet Clover Drive. Force was reported in one
event; money and property were taken.

12 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 14300 block of Fairdale Road in the early morning hours of 11/10. No force; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

4th District

J1 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 2200 block of Glenallan Avenue between approximately 7:00 p.m. on 11/08 and 5:55 a.m. on 11/09. Force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

J2 Beat:

 Four thefts from vehicles occurred between 11/08 and 11/10. Affected streets included Chipping Court, Morningwood Court, and Georgia Avenue. Force was reported in one event; property and vehicle parts were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

K1 Beat:

• Four **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 11/04 and 11/12. Affected streets included Georgia Avenue, White Horse Lane, Glade Drive, and Bel Pre Road. No force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

K2 Beat:

Two thefts from vehicles occurred between 11/09 and 11/12. One theft occurred in the 3900 block
of Ilford Road and one theft occurred in the 12700 block of Gould Road. Force was reported in one
event; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

L1 Beat:

 Three thefts from vehicles occurred between approximately 3:00 p.m. on 11/08 and 9:30 a.m. on 11/09. Two thefts occurred in the 2000-2100 blocks of Randolph Road and one theft occurred in the 12000 block of Sawmill Court. Force; property was taken.

L2 Beat:

 Three thefts from vehicles occurred between 11/12 and 11/14. Affected streets included Windham Lane, Jasper Street, and Lombardy Road. No force; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

5th District

M1 Beat:

 Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred between 11/08 and 11/13. Affected streets included Halethorpe Lane, Cross Laurel Drive, Frederick Road, Apple Harvest Circle, and Bent Creek Terrace. Force was reported in two events; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

N1 Beat:

• Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 11/10 and 9:00 a.m. on 11/11. One theft occurred in the 19200 block of Circle Gate Drive and one theft occurred in the area of Waring Station Road and Forest Brook Road. Force was reported in one event; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

N2 Beat:

• Three **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 11/07 and 11/14. Affected streets included Bailiwick Terrace, Crusader Way, and Dovedale Way. No force; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

6th District

P1 Beat:

 Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred between 11/08 and 11/13. Affected streets included Marathon Circle, King James Way, W. Diamond Avenue, and Downing Street. Force; property and vehicle parts were taken.

R1 Beat:

• Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 11/06 and 11/09. One theft occurred in the 9500 block of Horizon Run Road and one theft occurred in the 18700 block of Purple Martin Lane. Force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

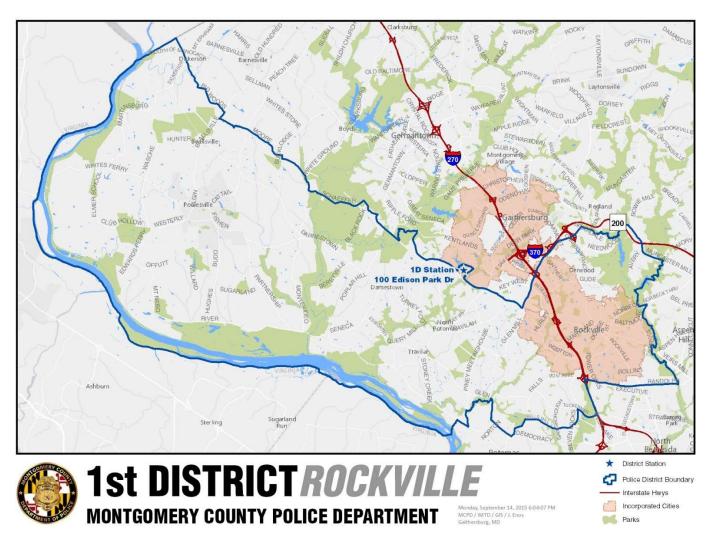
R2 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicles** occurred in the 10000 block of Stedwick Road between approximately 7:00 p.m. on 11/11 and 12:00 p.m. on 11/12. No force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

R3 Beat:

 Three thefts from vehicles occurred between 11/10 and 11/12. Affected streets included Gingerbread Lane, Cactus Court, and Cinnabar Court. No force; property was taken.



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Note: Thefts from vehicles listed in separate summary.

A1 Beat:

• A **commercial burglary** occurred at *5.11 Tactical* located at 12212 Rockville Pike at approximately 7:52 p.m. on 11/08. Forced entry; merchandise was taken.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, mid 20s

 A commercial burglary occurred at the maintenance building of Cove Property Management located at 12026 Chase Crossing Circle between approximately 5:00 p.m. on 11/13 and 6:30 p.m. on 11/14. Forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

A2 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

A3 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

A4 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

B1 Beat:

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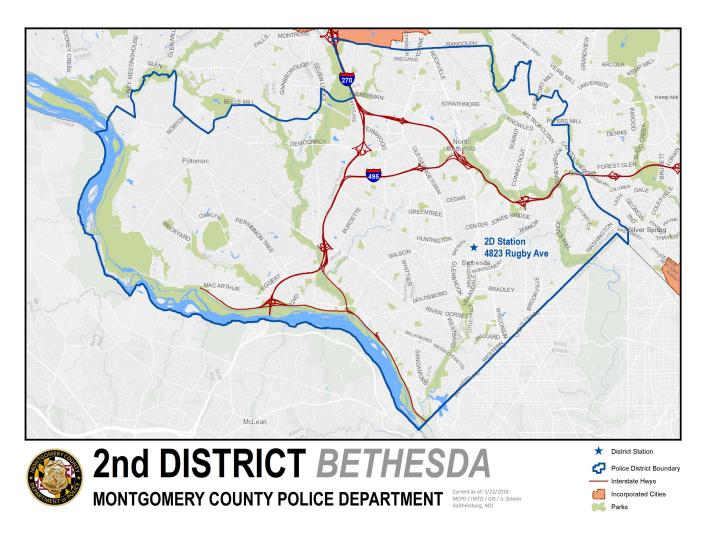
B2 Beat:

• A **residential burglary** occurred in the 13600 block of Canal Vista Court between approximately 6:00 p.m. on 11/07 and 12:30 p.m. on 11/08. Forced entry; nothing was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

B3 Beat:

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D1 Beat:

• A **residential garage burglary** occurred in the 3200 block of Thornapple Street in the early morning hours of 11/08. No signs of forced entry, a door was reported to have been left unlocked; nothing was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **strong-arm robbery** occurred in the 1500 block of East West Highway at approximately 2:00 p.m. on 11/09. The suspect took property from the adult male victim.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: Male, no further description

D2 Beat:

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 7800 block of Wisconsin Avenue at approximately 8:50 a.m. on 11/09. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked with a key fob inside.

No suspect(s) information available

D3 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

D4 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

E1 Beat:

 A commercial burglary occurred at River Road Rx located at 5257 River Road in the early morning hours of 11/10. Forced entry; medications were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **commercial robbery** occurred at the *Glen Echo Pharmacy* located at 7311 MacArthur Boulevard at approximately 8:04 p.m. on 11/12.

For more information and to view surveillance video of the suspects, please visit: http://www.mymcpnews.com/2020/11/19/detectives-investigate-robbery-of-glen-echo-pharmacy-surveillance-video-released/

E2 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

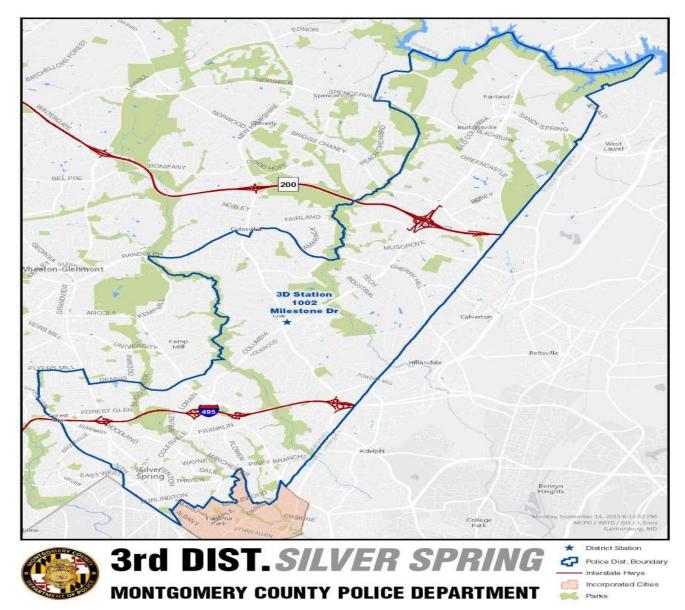
E3 Beat:

• A **theft** occurred in the 6400 block of Rockledge Drive between approximately 2:20 p.m. and 2:40 p.m. on 11/12. The suspect took the adult male victim's property.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: B/M, age unknown B/F, age unknown

E4 Beat:

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G1 Beat:

• A **residential burglary** of a storage unit occurred in the 800 block of Pershing Drive between approximately 12:01 a.m. on 10/17 and 7:41 p.m. on 11/14. Forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **commercial burglary** of several storage units occurred at *Extra Space Storage* located at 7722 Fenton Street at approximately 6:15 p.m. on 11/06. Forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 8600 block of Georgia Avenue at approximately 4:10 p.m. on 11/08. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown

• An **armed bank robbery** occurred at *Capital One Bank* located at 8315 Georgia Avenue at approximately 1:17 p.m. on 11/10. The suspect implied that he had a weapon and stole money.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown

 A suspect was arrested for second-degree assault, possession of a firearm, and drug-related offenses that occurred in the 800 block of Easley Street at approximately 4:22 p.m. on 11/12.

For more information, please visit: http://www.mymcpnews.com/2020/11/17/officers-respond-to-call-for-possible-domestic-violence-suspect-located-and-arrested-for-assault-gun-possession-and-drug-related-offenses/

• A **theft** and **assault** occurred at the *Silver Spring Beer & Wine* located at 8746 Georgia Avenue at approximately 7:00 p.m. on 11/13. The suspect stole merchandise and assaulted the adult male employee. The suspect was arrested.

Arrested: Sarahi Parra-Mendoza, age 21; of Gaithersburg

G2 Beat:

- Vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
 - ➤ In the 200 block of Normandy Drive between approximately 1:00 p.m. on 11/10 and 9:45 a.m. on 11/11. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked.

No suspect(s) information available

➤ In the 1700 block of Leighton Wood Lane between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 11/12 and 8:00 a.m. on 11/13. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked with a key left inside.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown

H1 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

H2 Beat:

- Attempted vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
 - In the unit block of University Boulevard East between approximately 12:00 p.m. on 11/06 and 9:00 a.m. on 11/13.

No suspect(s) information available

In the 10100 block of Sutherland Road between approximately 5:00 p.m. on 11/10 and 11:30 a.m. on 11/13.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **commercial burglary** occurred at *GameStop* located at 10100 Colesville Road in the early morning hours of 11/11. Forced entry; merchandise was taken.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 3 males, no further description

• A **commercial armed robbery** occurred at *T-Mobile* located at 10214 New Hampshire Avenue at approximately 5:50 p.m. on 11/12.

For more information and to view video surveillance of the suspect, please visit: http://www.mymcpnews.com/2020/11/19/detectives-investigate-armed-robbery-of-t-mobile-store-insilver-spring/

• A **residential burglary** occurred in the 11200 block of Oak Leaf Drive between approximately 2:30 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. on 11/13. Forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

I1 Beat:

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 2800 block of Shanandale Drive between approximately 11:00 p.m. on 11/08 and 7:50 a.m. on 11/09. Unknown entry.

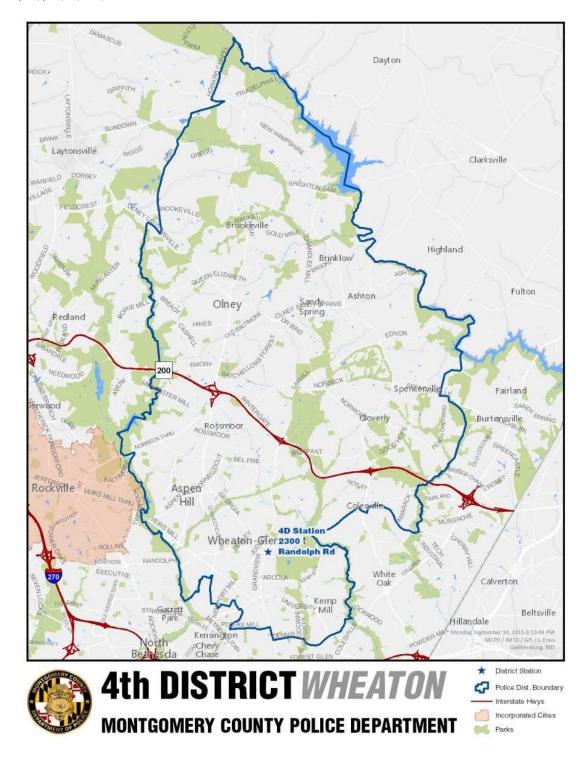
No suspect(s) information available

• An **armed robbery** occurred in the 11500 block of Lockwood Drive in the early morning hours of 11/11. The suspect displayed a weapon and took money and property from the adult male victim.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown

12 Beat:

• A **commercial burglary** occurred at *CMI Moulding* located at 4100 Star Pointe Lane between approximately 12:00 p.m. on 11/07 and 8:30 a.m. on 11/09. Forced entry; money was taken.



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J1 Beat:

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J2 Beat:

A residential burglary and theft from vehicle occurred at the same residence in the unit block of Morningwood Court between approximately 10:30 p.m. on 11/09 and 5:00 a.m. on 11/10. No signs of forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

An aggravated assault occurred in the area of George Washington Drive and Continental Drive at approximately 8:28 p.m. on 11/10. The suspect assaulted the juvenile male victim. The suspect was arrested.

Arrested: Kurtis Steven Miller, age 61; of Rockville

K1 Beat:

A residential burglary occurred in the 2400 block of Glenallan Avenue between approximately 6:00 p.m. on 11/06 and 8:00 a.m. on 11/09. No signs of forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

A vehicle theft occurred in the 3600 block of Pear Tree Court between approximately 1:00 a.m. and 8:00 a.m. on 11/09. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked with a key left inside. The vehicle was recovered on 11/09.

No suspect(s) information available

K2 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

L1 Beat:

• A residential burglary occurred in the 2200 block of Georgian Way between approximately 12:00 a.m. on 10/31 and 7:20 p.m. on 11/12. Forced entry; nothing was taken.

• A **residential burglary** and **residential shed burglary** occurred at the same residence in the 4500 block of Bennion Road in the early morning hours of 11/07. No signs of forced entry, the shed door and a door leading into the house were both reported to have been left unlocked; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

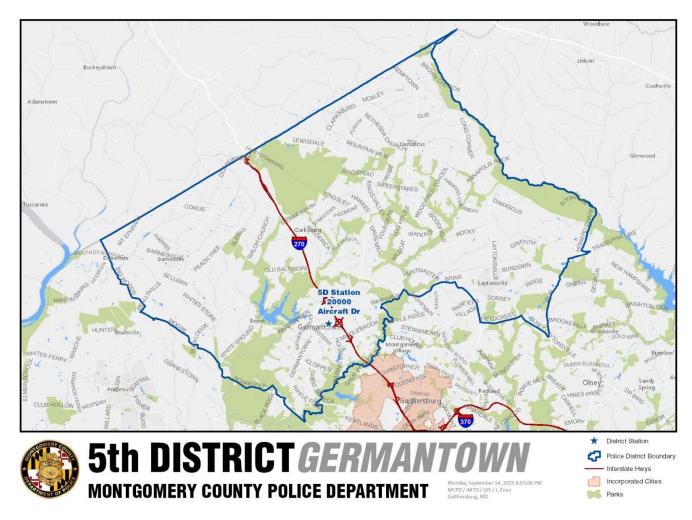
• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 3300 block of Claridge Court between approximately 4:00 p.m. on 11/11 and 8:30 a.m. on 11/12. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

L2 Beat:

• A **theft** occurred at *T-Mobile* inside of the *Westfield Wheaton* mall located at 11160 Veirs Mill Road at approximately 2:09 p.m. on 11/09. The suspects stole merchandise.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 B/Ms, ages unknown



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M1 Beat:

• An **aggravated assault** occurred in the 20000 block of Frederick Road at approximately 9:30 p.m. on 11/11. One suspect displayed a weapon. The suspects assaulted the adult male victim.

• A **weapons offense** occurred in the 20000 block of Dunstable Circle at approximately 1:52 p.m. on 11/12. The suspect was arrested.

For more information, please visit: http://www.mymcpnews.com/2020/11/17/suspect-arrested-for-possession-of-a-handgun-in-germantown/

M2 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

M3 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

N1 Beat:

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 11500 block of Middlebrook Road at approximately 2:30 p.m. on 11/09. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked with the key left inside.

No suspect(s) information available

• An **armed robbery** occurred in the 19700 block of Germantown Road at approximately 7:37 p.m. on 11/10. The suspect displayed a weapon, assaulted the adult male victim, and took his property. The suspect was arrested.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, late 30s

N2 Beat:

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N3 Beat:

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P1 Beat:

• A **commercial armed robbery** occurred at *KFC* located at 9910 Key West Avenue in the early morning hours of 11/13. One suspect displayed a weapon and stole money.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: B/M, age unknown No suspect information available for the additional suspect

P2 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

P3 Beat:

 A commercial burglary occurred at Emory Grove Methodist Church located at 8200 Emory Grove Road between approximately 7:00 p.m. on 11/11 and 6:35 p.m. on 11/13. No signs of forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

R1 Beat:

• A **residential burglary** occurred in the 9700 block of Hellingly Place between approximately 8:15 a.m. and 4:54 p.m. on 11/09. No signs of forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 18800 block of Strawberry Knoll Road between approximately 9:00 p.m. and 10:15 p.m. on 11/10. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

R2 Beat:

• An **attempted residential burglary** occurred in the 10600 block of Seneca Ridge Drive between approximately 7:00 a.m. on 11/10 and 4:00 p.m. on 11/12.

No suspect(s) information available

R3 Beat:

 An attempted commercial burglary occurred at Dominos located at 18214 Flower Hill Way in the early morning hours of 11/09.

No suspect(s) information available

• An **armed robbery** occurred in the 18200 block of Flower Hill Way in the early morning hours of 11/11. One suspect displayed a weapon. The suspects took money from the adult male victim.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: B/M, age unknown B/F, age unknown